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City Of Las Vegas June 2010 Recreation, Adaptive Recreation & Sports Special Events

All activities are subject to change. List includes special events only. For a complete list of activities, programs and classes, go online to www.lasvegasparksandrec.com for the Leisure Guide and to www.lasvegasnevada.gov/information/5168.htm for the Adaptive Recreation guide and programs. Most activities require advance registration.

Free Ward 1 Summer Splash & Safety Event (all ages)

Friday, June 4, 6 to 8 p.m.

Bill & Lillie Heinrich YMCA, 4141 Meadows Lane.

Enjoy complimentary open swimming, swim toy giveaways and summertime treats while supplies last. Summer safety tips will be provided. For more information, call 229-6405.

Free Ward 4 Summer Splash (all ages)

Saturday, June 5, noon to 2 p.m.

City of Las Vegas Durango Hills Community Center, 3521 N. Durango Drive at Gowan Road. Celebrate the beginning of summer with fun in the pool, DJ, games and light refreshments while supplies last. For more information, call 229-2524.

Swimming Pools Open For Summer Season (all ages)

Saturday, June 5, and Monday-Saturday, June 7-Aug. 14, noon to 5 p.m., Doolittle Pool, 1950 N. J St. Saturday-Sunday, June 5-6; and Monday-Sunday, June 7-Aug. 15, noon to 5 p.m., and Monday-Friday, 7 to 9 p.m.; Carlos L. Martinez and Darrio J. Hall Family Pool at Freedom Park, 889 N. Pecos Road. Monday-Saturday, noon to 5 p.m., June 7-Aug. 14, Baker Pool, 1100 E. St. Louis Ave. Monday-Saturday, noon to 5 p.m., June 7-Aug. 14, Garside Pool, 300 S. Torrey Pines Drive.

Monday-Friday, June 7-Sept. 6, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.; Saturday-Sunday, noon to 6 p.m.; Municipal Pool, 431 E. Bonanza Road.

Daily fees: \$1 for ages 4-17; \$2 for ages 18-49; \$1.50 for ages 50+; and free for ages 0-3. All-summer pool passes (valid Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day): \$40 individual, \$60 for a family of up to 8 people, and \$30 for an adult age 50+.

Each pool will offer private, semi-private and small group swimming lessons. Private lessons are \$100, semi-private lessons (two-three students) are \$50, and group lessons (four or more students) are \$25, for six 45-minute lessons. Swim lesson sessions begin the week of June 14. Each pool also will offer novice competitive swimming, diving, synchronized swimming and water polo teams for ages 7-17 for only \$25 for the entire summer pool season. From 4 to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday, there are limited lanes for adult lap swim only at Municipal Pool. Pavilion Center Pool will remain closed while it is being enclosed, but is expected to open in the fall.

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Summer Day Camps (ages 4-15)

Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., beginning June 7. No camp July 5. Fee: \$65 per child per week and \$60 for an additional child from the same household. Registration for camps will be available at the facilities listed below, by telephone and online at www.lasvegasparksandrec.com. Registration will continue until camps are full. Summer camp registration codes are available online at

www.lasvegasnevada.gov/files/City LV 2010 Summer camp registration codes.pdf. The summer Leisure Guide, which has detailed information on each facility's camps, classes, programs, special events, sports, workshops and activities, is available online at www.lasvegasparksandrec.com. Financial assistance may be available to qualified applicants. Request an application at the camp site if financial assistance is needed. Youth will have fun and stay busy enjoying age-appropriate activities, including field trips, sports, special events, arts and crafts, nutrition, physical fitness and games, under the supervision of trained staff. The last day for camp varies according to site. Locations include: Becker Community School, 9110 Hillpointe Road, 229-2482. Ages 4-15. Camp ends Aug. 6. Cimarron Rose Community Center, 5591 N. Cimarron Road, 229-1607. Ages 6-11. Camp ends Aug. 20.

Doolittle Community Center, 1950 N. J St., 229-6374. Ages 4-15. Camp ends Aug. 20. Gibson Community School, 3990 W. Washington Ave., 229-5096. Ages 4-15. Camp ends Aug. 6. Johnson Community School, 340 Villa Monterey Drive, 229-6175. Ages 4-15. Camp ends Aug. 6. Lied Community School, 5340 W. Tropical Pkwy., 229-5072. Ages 4-15. Camp ends Aug. 6. Molasky Community School, 7801 W. Gilmore Ave., 229-5345. Ages 4-15. Camp ends Aug. 6. Rafael Rivera Community Center, 2900 E. Stewart Ave., 229-4600. Ages 4-15. Camp ends Aug. 20. Robison Community School, 4794 Harris Ave., 229-2542. Ages 4-15. Camp ends July 30.

Themed Specialty Summer Day Camps (ages 4-15)

Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., June 7-Aug. 20. No camp July 5.

Fee: \$100 per child per week and \$90 for an additional child from the same household. A few camps have higher prices.

Registration for camps will be available at the facilities listed below, by telephone and online at www.lasvegasparksandrec.com. Registration will continue until camps are full. Youth will have fun and stay busy enjoying age-appropriate activities, including field trips, sports, special events, arts and crafts, cooking, nutrition, physical fitness and games, under the supervision of trained staff. Summer camp registration codes are available online at

<u>www.lasvegasnevada.gov/files/City_LV_2010_Summer_camp_registration_codes.pdf</u>. The summer Leisure Guide, which has detailed information on each facility's camps, classes, programs, special events, sports, workshops and activities, is available online at <u>www.lasvegasparksandrec.com</u>. Mirabelli Community Center, 6200 Hargrove Ave., 229-6359. Ages 6-15.

Veterans Memorial Leisure Services Center, 101 N. Pavilion Center Drive, 229-1100. Ages 4-11.

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Recreational Sports Camps (ages 4-15)

Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., beginning June 7. No camp July 5.

Fee: \$65 per child per week and \$60 for an additional child from the same household.

Registration for camps will be available at the facilities listed below, by telephone and online at www.lasvegasparksandrec.com. Registration will continue until camps are full. Financial assistance may be available to qualified applicants. Request an application at the camp site if financial assistance is needed. This camp focuses on one sport each week. Participants learn the basic rules of each sport and talk about teamwork, sportsmanship, fitness and nutrition. Participants also play in a scrimmage game at the end of each week. The last day for summer camp varies according to site. The locations include:

Brinley Community School, 6150 Smoke Ranch Road, 229-2642. Ages 4-15. Camp ends July 30. Charleston Heights Community School, 6438 Celeste Ave., 229-4440. Ages 4-15. Camp ends Aug. 6. Gibson Community School, 3990 W. Washington Ave., 229-5096. Ages 4-15. Camp ends Aug. 6. Stupak Community Center, 251 W. Boston Ave., 229-2488. Ages 4-15. Camp ends Aug. 20.

Free Foosball Tournament (ages 7-14)

Friday, June 11, 4:30 to 6 p.m.

Doolittle Community Center, 1950 N. J St., (702) 229-6374.

Free Fishing Workshop (ages 7-15)

Saturday, June 12, 10 a.m. to noon

Doolittle Community Center, 1950 N. J St., (702) 229-6374.

Jr. NBA/Jr. WNBA Recreational Youth Basketball Leagues (ages 3-16)

Registration open now. League play begins Saturday, June 12.

Fee: \$45 ages 3-4, \$55 ages 5-6, \$65 ages 7-16.

Doolittle Community Center, 1950 N. J St., (702) 229-6374.

Mirabelli Community Center, 6200 Hargrove Ave., (702) 229-6359.

Rafael Rivera Community Center, 2900 E. Stewart Ave., (702) 229-4600.

Veterans Memorial Leisure Services Center, 101 N. Pavilion Center Drive, (702) 229-1100.

Coaches teach the NBA's program: "Pledge to be a STAR: Sportsmanship, Teamwork, Attitude and Respect." Register early to allow time to form teams and set up practices, and to ensure there is space for your child. Registration is limited. The leagues' parents and children need volunteer coaches!

School's Out Summer Splash Party (all ages)

Saturday, June 12, noon to 6 p.m.

Fee: \$1 for ages 4-17; \$2 for ages 18-49; \$1.50 for ages 50+; and free for ages 0-3.

School's finally out and we want to celebrate with you! We're throwing all of our splash toys in the pool. Join us for swimming, games, dancing, treats and prizes. We'll even play music!

Municipal Pool, 431 E. Bonanza Road, (702) 229-6309.

Free Kick Ball Tournament (ages 7-11)

Saturday, June 19, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Doolittle Community Center, 1950 N. J St., (702) 229-6374.

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Dear Ol' Dad's Day (all ages)

Sunday, June 20, noon to 6 p.m.

Fee: \$1 for ages 4-17; \$2 for ages 18-49; \$1.50 for ages 50+; and free for ages 0-3 and fathers accompanied by a child.

Municipal Pool, 431 E. Bonanza Road, (702) 229-6309; and

Carlos L. Martinez and Darrio J. Hall Family Pool at Freedom Park, 889 N. Pecos Road, (702) 229-1755.

Dad receives free admission to recreation swim when accompanied by his child on Father's Day.

PUSH America Journey of Hope Puppet Show and Wheelchair Basketball Exhibition (all ages) Thursday, June 24, noon to 3 p.m.

Free admission.

Veterans Memorial Leisure Services Center, 101 N. Pavilion Center Drive, (702) 229-1100. Join Mayor Oscar B. Goodman and Councilman Steve Wolfson in welcoming Pi Kappa Phi fraternity members stopping in Las Vegas during their Journey of Hope annual 4,000-mile cross-country bicycle trek. The riders will put on a "Kids on the Block" puppet show for the public and children enrolled in city of Las Vegas summer camp. The puppet show focuses on the *abilities* of people with disabilities and allows children to ask questions of the puppets that they might not be comfortable asking people. After the show, fraternity members will put on a wheelchair basketball demonstration. Call 229-4902 for information or go online to www.pushamerica.org/events/JOH/.

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